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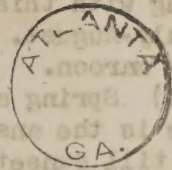
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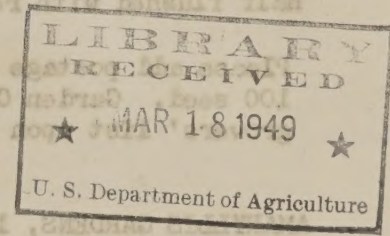
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AMARYLLIS GARDENS  
15 Screven Ave., N. E.  
ATLANTA, GEORGIA



HEMEROCALLIS

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Spring 1949

Athlone	6 @ \$2.25	12 @ \$2.00
*Autumn Red	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
Black Prince	6 @ 2.00	12 @ 1.50
Chengtu	6 @ .50	12 @ .25
Chiska	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
Duchess of Windsor	6 @ 1.00	12 @ .75
*George Kelso	6 @ 1.25	12 @ 1.00
Granada	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
Mary Guenther	6 @ 1.00	12 @ .75
Mikado	6 @ .40	12 @ .30
Minnie	6 @ 1.00	12 @ .75
*Old Paint	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
*Ophir	6 @ .25	12 @ .20
*Patrecia	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
*Pride of Houston	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
*Purple Flash	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
*Purple Waters	6 @ 1.00	12 @ .75
Rosy Day	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
Sachem	6 @ .50	12 @ .35
*Santa Fe	6 @ .50	12 @ .35
*Seven Seas	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
*Spitfire	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
*Sweet Briar	6 @ 3.00	12 @ 2.50
*Sylvia	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
*Theron	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
*Vulcan	6 @ .75	12 @ .50
*War Path	6 @ 1.25	12 @ 1.00

Quotations on Quantity lots of those (\*) Prices F. O. B. Atlanta, no packing charges,

We suggest a second choice of those not (\*) 25% deposit will hold plants for later delivery.

## AMARYLLIS GARDENS

15 Screven Avenue, N. E.

Atlanta, Georgia

WHEN CAN THEY SAFELY BE PLANTED? Any time after the frost leaves the soil and until shortly before the soil freezes in the fall, Mulch if planted late.

SPACING PLANTS - About 2 feet apart will give ample room to form clumps. In rich soil it is advisable to divide the clumps each 3rd year as the centre roots are deprived of rare soil elements which have become exhausted, results smaller and fewer blooms.

DEPTH OF PLANTING - Where roots and leaves join no deeper than 1" in the soil.

SOIL REQUIREMENTS - As they have apparently no preference, they do well in light or heavy soil. I work in much humus in light or heavy soil to retain moisture. If soil is extremely acid add lime, if strongly alkaline woods soil or oak leaves will add acid.

SHADE OR SUN - Some of the deeper colors are more suitable to part shade, some do better in an all day sun, "Purple Waters" as an example is a far richer shade of wine purple in full sun and looks fresh at the end of the day.

HOW SOON WILL THEY BLOOM - As we send out roots with heavy root system, they do not require to reestablish a new root system, hence much quicker to bloom. You can expect blooms on most varieties the first year, the second year they are at their best.



This 1949 HEMEROCALLIS list Cancels former lists.

Hemerocallis (hybrid day lilies) should be of interest to all flower lovers. If you do not have these so-easy-to-care-for-plants in your garden you are missing a treat. They now come in such a delightful color range from deepest maroon with a black eyezone, thru the many shades of red, pink, yellows, bicolors and many pastel shades. The various varieties give blooms from early spring, all thru the summer and until frost. Being of various heights they fit into any garden scheme. For night illuminated gardens we have them that open their blooms before sunset, the blooms remain open and fresh the following day, others open in early morn and remain fresh until near midnight. We rapidly discard all that does not remain fresh all day. There are so many that resists the hot sun why give garden space to those being presentable but half the day.

Hemerocallis are not choosy of soil types or plant foods, will withstand a long dry spell hence, can be planted where the hose does not reach. They increase into clumps which can be divided each few years making them a good investment. No losses thru the lack of hardiness, they truly are the most ideal plant for large estates as well as small gardens. They thrive in sun or partial shade. I am making an effort to have these plants in more gardens by offering \$3.00, \$5.00 and \$10.00 collections of full color range. These plants come to you in damp moss, labeled true to name. Should your soil not be workable at this time a 25% deposit will hold the order to your convenience.

The Hemerocallis Society, now in it's third year has close to a thousand members, this proves hemerocallis' value as a garden plant. If you now have hemerocallis in the garden and have not joined the Society, I urge you to become a member, the yearly dues gives you the Year Book worth many times the \$3.00 membership fee. Contact the Secretary, Mrs. Pearl Sherwood, Atlantic, Iowa.

In our gardens we use the composting method. This produces large rugged plants with a large root system which gets them off to a quick start after transplanting. We can guarantee money back if you have ever purchased hemerocallis with finer root-systems, we pay return postage.

Our \$3.00 Collection

OPHIR	\$ .50
LINDA	1.00
SANTA FE	1.00
PRIDE OF HOUSTON	1.00
MINNIE	2.00
List value	\$5.50

Our \$5.00 Collection.

PURPLE WATERS	\$2.00
PRIDE OF HOUSTON	1.00
SANTA FE	1.00
SEVEN SEAS	1.00
TRADE WINDS	1.00
OPHIR	.50
THERON	1.50
SPITFIRE	1.00
List value	\$9.00

Our \$10.00 Collection

BLACK PRINCE	\$3.00
ATHLONE	3.00
SWEET BRIAR	3.00
GRANADA	2.00
Choose 3 from the	
\$5.00 Collection	5.00
List value	\$16.00

To those not interested in names, after August there will be available unlabeled plants, 1 doz. \$3.00, 2 doz. (in one carton) \$5.00 plus 25¢ postage and carton, these will be a full color range. Many of these being so similiar to named varieties we refrain from naming them. We also offer seed @ \$1.00 a hundred from choice varieties.

Questions often asked by beginners --

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Spring 1949 *HEMEROCALLIS* List.

Amaryllis Gardens, 15 Screven Ave. N. E. Atlanta, Georgia, Phone WA 7848

- AFTERGLO - (Stout) 3½ Ft. Midsummer. Pale buff and pastel peach with rosy tint in the throat and midvane of petals, remains open evenings. \$2.00
- ANNIS VICTORIA RUSSELL - (Russell) Apr. & Sept. 3½ Ft. Huge well branched canary blooms \$1.00
- AUGUST RED - (Nesmyth) Late, 2½ Ft. Chrome orange, petals flushed red, long blooming season and well branched velvety red blooms. \$1.50
- ATHLONE - (Russell) 3½ Ft. Early summer. Large blooms, petals rose tint, deeper rose eyezone, Sepals canary yellow, Sturdy plants, blooms fresh after sundown. This is one the lady visitors cannot resist. \$3.00
- AUGUST PIONEER - (Stout) Late, 2 ft. Chrome orange, petals flushed red. \$1.00
- BAGDAD - (Stout) 3 ft. Midsummer. Clear orange throat, petals coppery red over orange veins, midzone madder brown, 5" blooms. 50¢
- BIJOU - (Stout) Midsummer 2 ft. Long blooming season. Semi-dwarf. Heavy bloomer, Orange overcast with rich red, darker mid-zone. 75¢
- BLACK PRINCE - (Russell) 3½ ft. Deepest Maroon with large black eyezone, blooms of excellent proportions. Petals and sepals wide, most outstanding of the dark ones yet produced. \$3.00
- CABALLERO - (Stout) 3 ft. Midsummer. A distinct bicolor, the petals are vermillion-red, throat and sepals golden yellow, a brilliant combination. \$2.00
- CARNIVAL - (Traub) 3 ft. Midseason. Well named, Moro Red, Large orange throat which adds snap and brilliance to the blooms. \$2.00
- CINDERELLA - (Bechtold) July, Petals rosy copper, sepals lemon yellow, opens late in the afternoon, remains open following day. \$1.00
- DOMINION - (Stout) 3 ft. Early summer. A fine new dark color, rich reddish brown, large blooms. \$1.50
- DOROTHEA - (Lester) 2½ ft. The 6" flower has a soft unusual and very beautiful coloring, giving it an orchid-lavender effect. The petals have a light ground color which is flushed with heliotrope and a deeper heliotrope eye zone. The sepals are pale yellow. \$5.00
- DR. STOUT - Deep orange overlaid with red. \$1.00
- DUCHESS OF WINDSOR - 2 ft. (Traub) The broad petals wide and open with base of cream with a golden glint, just above the throat is a flush of rose, truly a work of art. A very choice variety. \$1.50
- FULVA ROSEA - Without question the best wild species, blooms a pleasing rosy pink. \$3.00
- FLORHAM - 3 ft. Soft yellow beautifully frilled. Scented. 30¢
- GEM - One of the old yellow favorites twice bloomer. 25¢
- GOLD DUST - The earliest to bloom, dwarf type, plenty of yellow blooms. 25¢
- GEORGE KELSO - (Traub) Large 5½ inch blooms, heavily ruffled, soft light orange suffused with bronze, sepals a little lighter. Early. \$2.00
- GRANADA - (Traub) 3 ft. Early bloomer. A pleasing blended one, the deepest color is light mahogany both petals and sepals blend to a lighter shade. Words cannot describe it's beauty. \$2.00
- HELEN WHEELER - (Traub) 3½ ft. Midsummer. Light carrot red with old rose veining, the yellow undertone intensifies the color. \$2.00
- HONEY RED HEAD - (Nesmyth) Midsummer. 2½ ft. A brilliant, unusual combination of colors that is praised by judges. Flowers open and flaring, velvety yet bright red with a distinct border of creamy yellow. Medium height and excellent branching, sure to please. \$5.00
- IMPERATOR - (Perry) 3½ ft. Early. Large star shaped petals, pointed segments of rich orange with sulphur lining. 35¢
- J. A. CRAWFORD - One of the large type yellow blooms of the old favorites. 25¢
- KWANSO FLORES - Long midsummer blooming period of triple petaled orange copper shade, for mass planting cannot be beat, huge blooms, roots and foliage, makes the best showing for the money. \$1.00
- LINDA - (Stout) 2½ ft. Summer. Fascinating rose pink, petals creped, Golden lightly washed rose sepals. 75¢
- MARY GUENTHER - (Russell) Rich velvety carmine petals and soft clear yellow sepals which makes a sparkle that amazes visitors. \$2.00
- MIKADO - One of the older favorites which fits in any garden, Mellow orange. There is still a good demand for this with it's red purple eye zone.
- MILDRED ORPET - (Traub) 3½ ft. July. A stunning peach blush bicolor. \$2.50
- MINNIE - (Hayward) 3 ft. A snappy mahogany, almost crimson color, one that brightens the garden altho blooms not so large but plenty. \$1.50
- MRS. HOUGH JOHNSON - (Russell) 3½ ft. Spring. Here is a fiery red one with a lovely satin sheen, the wide petals and sepals are slightly reflexed and opens full. Remains open evenings. This is one you will own with pride. I know of no other of this shade to compare. \$5.00
- MODESTY - (Betcher) 3 ft. Midsummer. Light buttercup yellow. 75¢
- MRS. JOHN J. TIGERT - (Watkins) University of Florida. A new and very striking red. the brilliant blooms are of flaring form and of good size (Named after the wife of the past President of the University.) \$2.00



- MONARCH - (Stout) Lemon yellow blooms of attractive form. This one remains open evenings. \$1.00
- OLD PAINT - (Russell) 3 ft. An all summer bloomer when established in clumps. A very fast grower, best branched day lily I know of, have counted 55 buds and blooms on one plant. Petals are a very bright mahogany red with deep eyezone. Sepals deep yellow overcast with light mahogany. \$1.50
- OPHIR - (Farr) A well pleasing tall golden yellow, just the one for a spot needing life in the garden 4 ft. May-June. 50¢
- PATRECIA - (Stout) 2½ ft. Summer. A very clear tone of pale yellow with a greenish throat. A charming wide petaled flower with pronounced fragrance. Altho inexpensive it is rated highly in the Hemerocallis Society's "Year Book" Enough said. 75¢
- PORT - (Stout) 2½ ft. Early summer. One of those bright red flowers that catches the eye quickly, one of the excellent foreground plants needed to make the hemerocallis bed balance. \$1.50
- PRIDE OF HOUSTON - (Russell) 3 ft. Gives a mass of large brilliant blooms during a very long period. The bright mahogany is enhanced by the orange midrib. Rapidly forms clumps hence a good investment. You cannot go wrong at the price I am asking. \$1.00
- PRINCESS - (Stout) 3 ft. July. Are you looking for one of the palest yellows offered? Look no further, this one has large ruffled flowers. \$2.00
- PURPLE FLASH - (Russell) 3 ft. This one, that is different, as the large blooms have a pinched effect but pleasing. The petals are washed purple with a strong purple eyezone. Sepals are yellow washed with the lighter purple. My bed of this plant has blooms all summer. \$1.00
- PURPLE WATERS - (Russell) 3 ft. April-May. This one hardly needs commenting on as it is so well known by most day lily lovers. The blooms are a rich wine purple when planted in full sun. The blooms are well formed with their wide petals and sepals, they increase rapidly. \$2.00
- ROSALYND - (Stout) This is very similar to Fulva Rosea. \$3.00
- RAJAH - (Stout) July, Scarlet - orange, mahogany band, well branched. 75¢
- ROSY DAY - (Nies) 3 ft. Under color light yellow edges washed with pink. \$1.00
- ROSE OF GANZALES - (Russell) 3 ft. May-June. Blooms opens full, true rose bordering on rose pink. Blooms 4½", fast to increase. \$2.00
- SACHEM - (Stout) 3 ft. Reddish brown fine blooms, the light orange blooms make a fine combination. \$1.00
- SANTA FE - (Russell) June-July. Rosy red petals, deeper eyezone, sepals overlaid with rose tint. \$1.00
- SEMINOLE CHIEF - (Hill-Lester) 3½ ft. Midsummer. Excellent cherry red large blooms, rated as one of the best 25 day lilies yet produced. \$2.50
- SERENADE - (Stout) June-July 2½ ft. Pastel combination of yellow and pink. The petals are crinkled. 75¢
- SEVEN SEAS - (Russell) 3 ft. April-May-June. Pastel of light rosy brown sepals a little lighter, heavy bloomer, large flowers. \$1.00
- SPIITFIRE - (Russell) A foreground specimen of bright red flowers, with a light orange midrib, forms clumps rapidly, blooms all summer not too tall for the rock garden, remains evergreen. \$1.00
- STARLIGHT - (Nesmith) 3½ ft. Midsummer. One of the palest yellows, broad flowers with overlapping segments, very well branched. \$2.00
- STAR OF GOLD - (Sass) 3½ ft. Midsummer. Long starlike petals, light yellow. \$1.00
- SUNNY WEST - (Sass) 4 ft. July. Waxy texture of canary yellow. 50¢
- SWEET BRIAR - (Nesmith) Large lustrous blooms, well formed and branched, The perfection of form as the blooms lends charm to this lovely day lily. The increase is so rapid I can price this one. \$3.00
- SYLVIA - (Russell) Spring. 2½ ft. Large rosy-pink blooms, deeper pink eyezone, the sepals are yellow, must be seen to be appreciated. \$1.50
- THERON - (Stout) 2½ ft. July to Sept. Large full dark mahogany red with a small yellow throat, truly a fine specimen having received the award of Merit. I consider this Stout's best dark one. \$1.50
- TRADE WINDS - (Russell) 3½ ft. There are but few cream pastel shades offered. This is an outstanding one with well proportioned blooms of fine texture. You cannot go wrong with this one. \$1.00
- VULCAN - (Stout) July-August. Another dark Stout introduction, a heavy bodied plant blooms velvety maroon. \$1.50
- WAR PATH - (Russell) Spring and fall. An outstanding red. Wide petals that open recurved, this is the answer to a good bloom that stands the hottest day looking fresh till sunset. Increases fast. \$2.00
- WAUBUN - (Stout) 2½ ft. Summer. Broad petals of cadmium yellow with the outer half flushed with red. A good buy. 75¢

Please add postage on orders under \$2.50. Hand pollinated seed \$1.00 per 100 seed. Garden Club pooled orders at a discount. Dealers and Commercial growers' list upon request.

NEWARCH - (Stout) Large yellow bloom of attractive form. This one remains open  
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blossoms on one plant. Petals are a very bright mahogany red with deep eyezone.  
Sepals deep yellow overcast with light mahogany. \$1.50

OTHER - (Stout) A well pleasing tall golden yellow, just the one for a spot needing  
life in the garden. 4 ft. May-June. 50¢

PATROIA - (Stout) 2 1/2 ft. Summer. A very clear tone of pale yellow with a greenish  
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on rose pink. Bloom 4 1/2 ft. fast to increase. \$2.00

SACHIN - (Stout) 3 ft. Reddish brown fine bloom, the light orange bloom make a  
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SARAT IT - (Russell) June-July. Rose red petals, deeper eyezone, sepals overlaid  
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TIMON - (Stout) 2 1/2 ft. July to Sept. Large full dark mahogany red with a small  
yellow throat, truly a fine specimen having received the award of Merit. I  
consider this the best of the lot. \$2.00

which makes a sparkling that catches visitors. \$2.00

WIKING - One of the other favorites which fits in any garden. Yellow orange. There  
is still a good demand for this with its red purple eye zone. \$2.50

MILKED CHIEF - (Stout) 3 1/2 ft. July. A stunning peach blush bloom, one that brightens  
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